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Wrestler George Hackenschmidt One of Most Interesting Athletes in World, Being Able to Speak Seven Languages and Telk About Poetry, Philosophy and Literature.

(The New York World.)

ORGE HACKENSCHMIDT, the wrestler, is one of the most inter-esting professional athletes in the Unitie most of the men in his usiness he is very well educated and can talk intelligently on any subject. Hack speaks seven languages and has a working knowledge of a few more. While he takes a great interest in wrestling, of course, he seldem has any-thing to say about his performances on the mat. He likes better to talk about poetry and philosophy and literature. His fad is ancient history. Just before ng to America for the twenty-engagement he is filling now he Sport alx months travelling through mdt seriously contemplated up preaching instead of wrestling, sloped a peculiar interest in he Holy Land. Also, as a mechanical engineer, graduate of a great Russian soring school, he found it worth to visit the ancient ruins along in coast and study the archiure of catter so old that even their ies are forgotten. We were talking his experiences a few days ago. if Belbec," said Hackenschmidt, "I

a up on the ancient wall, the t ruth in all the world. Some of m, yet they had been brought ance and raised to a great the manage of years ago. It was you to the clubhouse wery day to watch the joungaters the coast were wonderful riumed cities, and there are a num. for he old time champlons who take deight in going up to the clubhouse wery day to watch the joungaters the coast were wonderful riumed cities. Shand it is coast were wonderful riumed cities and in off them put the joungaters the coast were wonderful riumed cities and in off them put the joungaters the coast were wonderful riumed cities and in off them put the joungaters the path of the going up to the clubhouse wery day to watch the joungaters the coast were wonderful riumed cities and in off them put the joungaters the path of the same were were wonderful riumed cities and in off them put the joungaters and it is deleased the boys the fluer points of the same port of the same were wonderful riumed cities and it is the seas. And remains of immens the means of immens and it is the seas of watch the joungaters and it is deleased the points of the same were wonderful riumed cities and in off the lend. There were joungated in the points of the same were wonderful riumed cities and in off the lend. There were points where I was promising "quarter miler," who has been running for about a jeasure of the joint of the same wonderful with the points of the same wonderful with the point of the lend the was probably the liter than elsewery day to watch the joungaters and it don't be proposed the points of the same were wonderful with a feet of the AA. U. power than the point was an unfolded the points and the point of the points and the That was wonderful too. I have been travelling, when I could find time, for years. I still have China and Japan to explore. I think I shall visit them next, and India. It is all very easy. I live well and sensibly wherever I go, with-I found that my expenses for six months had been less than the income from my capital. I can travel the rest of my life, if I wish, and I don't need to wrestle any more. I have all the money I care for. Before long, I think, I shall stop. But first I wish to wrestle and defeat Gotch. After that I shall just train a little to keep in good health. It would be terrible to find

BACHIE CROSS says that he has "come back," and that from new on he is going to do some of the greatest fighting ever seen around this

myself growing fat."

said Leachie a couple of days ago. "It this city next week from Chicago, was my own fault. Now I am back in Maupome now represents St. Loui tries training again. I put the brakes the National Amateur Three Cushion those fellows come in to talk about sting Wolgast and getting that chamschip and not think anything about a chance I got. I'll show them."

NTE ATTELL will show what M he can do to-might when he meets Phil McGovern at the Van-Monto is regarded as a very clever ban-tam-one of the best. He is a good, game fighter and is a pretty good second edition of Able. If Able really strikes the side one of these days. Monte, who

und be was a fairly clever boxer. Then he was sent along the line to fight. In NEW CLUB ORGANIZED the first engagement Caesar did very well until the other fellow managed to oft him an awful souk on the nose.

THE BASEBALL BUG WE ALWAYS HAVE WITH US



WEST SIDERS HOPE TO AGAIN CUT BIG ATHLETIC FIGURE

Oldest Club in America Now Planning to Restore Track and Field Games.

in for athletics again, and they eay that it will not be long be-fore they are again in the front ranks. Things are beginning to hum at the old Such feats would be regarded clubhouse and there's something doing sible even to-day, with all of up there every minute. A big bunch of machinary, and no engineer will youngsters are getting ready to com-be able to learn how the work was pete in the next championships.

to see the city just as it looked field athletics, and there are a num-theusends of years ago. It was won-

NATIONAL BILLIARD

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LEAGUE STANDING

Maupome now represents St. Louis in

At one time, about 1905, the New West Side A. C. had one of the best achietic teams in the country. They had such men as Joe Bromilow, "Babe" MolDonald, "Si" GRHs, J.-H. Wright, the half-mile champion who won his title at Travers Island when he ran in the junior championships, doing the distance in the spiendid time of 1.58.

In those days the club had some fifty men competing at every set of games. There was Eddie Green, W. S. Edwards, Chester Peabody, who was one of the most natural sprinters we have ever had. J. Bohan, now running for the Xavier A. C., who ran there from eight yards in the "hundred" in 92-5 seconds, and John Harty, a shot putter who could do 44 feet with the 15-pound shot. He was also heavyweight boxing champion of the A. A. U. at one time.

Oscar Luders defeated Harry Hillman in the hundles, but the victory was too words.

Charley White Mexican Expert Under Knite in to Play New York Billiard Team

ALBANY, Jan. 30.-Charley White, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Democratic State Committee, the warm personal and political friend of Charles F. Murphy and incidentally recognized as the great St. Peter's Hospital in this city, where he was operated on to-day for gall

Charley White, the sporting man, has officiated at nearly every big prize fight during the past quarter of a century. Pierre Maupome, who has defended Charley White, the portician, has been his title of amateur billiard player of a familiar figure at State and National Mexico for four years, will arrive in Democratic gatherings for a similar

Joe Coster, the Brooklyn feather on Pretty soon I'll show what I can Carrom Billiard League, and when his weight, will not be able to meet Tommy e, and then if Packey McFariand wants ceam plays here it is raid that he will O'Toole in the big fistic carnival a other chance with me I'll give it to show Gothamites some really sensa- Jack O'Brien's American A. C. of Philadelphia on Feb. 8. Joe was operated Maupome will play in Doyle's Billiard on for appendicitis in the Brooklyn Hos-Academy sgainst the New York team, pital Saturday night. Frankie Burns, the Jersey City bantamweight, has phis, are going to fight again. This been secured to fight some good bantam time they will battle in Boston, Mish which is composed of such hard men to beat as Garfunkle, Mannes, Croil and Blumenthal, and the dates he will appear are Feb. 9, 10 and 11.

Edmund Lamy Suspended for In Meeting to Change Dates

There were one or two more of the fatties Attells when Abe made his first the schedule recently announced, which caused a second circuit to be professional ranks. He has been sustained the lacked the fatties qualities of Abe and Monte.

Cases trained under Abe's watchful eye und be was a fairly clever boxer. Then FOR EAST SIDE FANS, ened to do many times.

Lamy got in bad because he refused Cases fell flat and rolled his head assumed to get a look at Abe.

Another new boxing club will open in this city on next Monday night. The new club will be known as the Postman A. C., and is located at the corner of Grand and Ordard streets, where the old have a time limit, and as Lamy, who cortest anough out of the buy me a pesnut stand without I the any more wallops."

Another new boxing club will open in this city on next Monday night. The international outdoor championships held here under the auspices of the Canadian Amateur Skating Association A. C., and is located at the corner of Grand and Ordard streets, where the old Saturday last. It had been agreed to have a time limit, and as Lamy, who won the race, didn't do as stipulated, the referee ordered it re-skated, which Lamy refused to the National Species City, for ten pounds to the National City for ten p

CORNELL ONLY TEAM

On top of the wall I stood and I seemed to encouraged boxing as well as track and in the hurdles, but the viotory was too much for him, and shortly after the place in the College Hockey League to see the city just as it looked the city fund and there are a number of the city fund and the college Hockey League who take

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THE GEORGETOWN ELEVEN WILL play at Princeton Oct. 28, next, it had a fine to be found guilty he expelled. The Ozanam Assa. claims that Ahlgren was still a r

As a result of the Columbia Football club by a source of 3 to 1, the Clan McDonalde are again in the lead in the race for the champloship of the New York Amateur Football Association.

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Tigers got more basses on balls than any other player in the American A. C.

OWEN BUSH OF THE DETROIT Tigers got more basses on balls than any other player in the eighth round at the good eyesight to be a good hitter, and if he has good sight it is comparatively easy for him to become expert with the it vories.

Hitters Are Brilliant Players.

The idea struck the crowd as being so this respect in the National League, receiving 116 in 151 games, which is nine ceiving 116 i

est prize light referee this country has Abe Attell and Pal Moore to Trade Punches Again

They Have Been Matched by Armory A. A. of Boston for Battle on Feb. 7.

BY JOHN POLLOCK. A DE ATTELL, the featherweight champion, and Pai Moore, the sturdy lightweight of Philadel-

Murray, manager and matchmaker of the Armery A. A. of that city, having mund Lamy
Suspended for
Rest of Season

the Armory A. A. of that city, having signed them up to meet in a twelveround bout at a show of the club on Tuesday evening, Feb. 7. This will be the second time they have fought, Attell having outpointed Pal in a tenround bout at the Fairmont A. C. a few months ago. Moore will get into shape at Allenhurst, N. J., while Attell will do his work at one of the local boxing clubs.

America, and as he is liable to chafe under his inability to skate simon-pure amateur races it is likely that he will join the "pro" ranks, as he has threatened to do many times.

Lamy got in had because he refused Lord Lonsials.

BOXING STAGS TO-NIGHT.

At the Clympic A. C. of Har-lem, Barry Hill, former amateur bantam champion, and Artie Mc-Govern will meet in the main bout of ten rounds.
At Vanderbilt A. C., Clermont
Avenue Rink, Brooklyn, Monte
Attell will clash with Philly Mc-

Govern in a ten-round bout.

night Leach Cross will book up with Young Sammy Smith for ten rounds at the Empire A. C. in Manhattan Cestoo.

Prankie Madole, the Pittsburg lightweight, is fast developing into a great fighter. After having won six fights in auccession to Philadelphia Frankie met Phil Brock, the Cleveland lighter, in a six-round kout at the Northern A. C. of Pitts-burg on staturday night and gave Brock one of the worst beatings of his career.



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TO MAKE HITTERS OF BALL PLAYERS Good Eyes Essential to Be- League he played in the amateur bilhard tournament and was considered one of the best players. Christy Mathew-

son is a crack three-cushion player and so is Fred Merkle.

Cobb Challenges Chase

Ty Cobb thinks so well of his billiard playing that he has challenged Hal

Chase to a match some the first time they meet in Detroit. Eddie Collins is a crack pool player and while a Columbia student he was one of the

Willie Kester never became a billiard player because he did not care for the game. While the other players were toying with the ivories Keeler was always reading books. He and

Increased Lead

best players in the school.

Marshall Has

come Expert at Either the Bat or With the Cue.

Bat or With the Cue.

BY BOZEMAN BULGER.

THAT practically every great hitter in baseball has been an expert pool or billiard player is a rather interesting fact that came to light last night while Jack Doyle was trying to get Hal Chase and John Mograw to play a three-cushion billiard eyes by actificial light.

So is Fred Merkle.

Larry Lajole, the great hitter of the Cieveland club, is an expert pool player and has taken part in several amateur tournaments. He says that his good eye at pool and baseball is due to the fact that he has never allowed himself to read newspapers or books by lamplight. In fact, Lajole says he has not read after dark for more than ten years. He thinks all ball players would be benefited if they did not use their eyes by actificial light.

Cobb Challenges Chase. Graw to play a three-cushion billiard match before the teams went South for spring practice.

Chase and McGraw are both experts with the cue, and it was while they were being discussed Pop Anson called attention to the fact that all of the great hitters were good with the ivories. Anson is a greater expert than either

THE GEORGETOWN ELEVEN WILL play at Princeton Oct. 28, next, it being the first game in six years between the two colleges. The Washingtonians take the place of Holy Cross.

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As a persult of the cold colts I always encouraged my the cold colts the old Colts I always encouraged my players to try and become pool or bill-players, so as to develop their eyes sight. I know it helped me and I believe it helps others. A man must have good eyesight to be a good hitter, and if he has good sight it is comparatively of the source o

exception of Willie Keeler and Hans Wagner all of the hitters have been billiard players. Johnny Kling of the Cubs was at one time champion pool player of the world. Anson says the keen eyesight that helped him to win

keen eyesight that helped him to win that championship also helped him to be a great catcher.

Ha! Chase has been a crack billiard player as well as a crack batter since his boyhood. McGraw had a hitting average of more than 340 for seven years, and he is now considered one of the best amateur billiard players in the country. Sherwood Mageo is very handy with the ivories and so is Frank Chance of Chicago.

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NEW YORK SEVEN IN GAME AGAINST CANADA'S BEST

Mercury Footers Likely to Be Beaten by Speedy Toronto University Team.

The biggest backey game of the on will be played to-night at the Bt. Icholas Rink, when the Toronto Uniersity seven, considered the might he New York Athletic Club's fast team. The Toronto team are regarded the est developed in Canada in years, and f they don't put a substitute seven en he ice they should defeat the Mercusy coters. However, the latter here prung many surprises in their history and even without the services of Capt. Castleman, who is still out of the game because of injuries, they may win, as they have shown wonderful improvement since the season began. they have shown wonderful improvement since the season began.

The reason why it is thought that the local players are in for a beating is because St. Michaels, also of Canada, easily whipped them, which team was pie for Toronto. The Torontos also recently defeated McGill University, who walloped the Crescent A. C. of this city, leaders in the Amateur Hockey League.

KANSAS CYCLONE HERE TO MEET WEST SIDER.

"Tom" O'Rourke, of the National Sporting Club, evidently realizes that new faces are needed in bouts at the local clubs. O'Rourke started in the right direction when he imported right direction when he imported "Digger" Stanley to meet "Frankle" Hurns, and now he has brought a new man out of the West to entertain his tub members.
The newcomer is "Phil" Knight of
Kansas City. He is a short and sturd-

ly built lightweight of the rushing ype, similar to "Batting" Hurley and 'Cy" Smith.

O'Rounke selected "Johnny" Oferto o meet Knight. They will clash on to meet Knight. They will clash on Thursday night at the National Sport-

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